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Venice, *May* 9. N. S.

ON Tuesday last the Senate Elected Signior *Baptista Nani* to go in Quality of their Ambassador in Ordinary to His Majesty of *Great-Britain*. Our Preparations for the next Campagne are carried on with great diligence, and a Convoy with Soldiers, Cannon, Provision, and Ammunition, will now shortly sail from hence for the *Levant*. The last Advices from *Rome* say, the Pope is indisposed, and that the Cardinals who pretend to succeed him, are making an Interest against the next Election.

Warsaw, *May* 13. The Cardinal Primate's coming hither is delayed for a few days, by reason he has not yet been able to dispose all the Gentlemen of his Party to make their Submission to the King of *Poland*, who seem to hold out till they be invited, with a promise of some particular Advantages for themselves; and in the mean time to engage the Primate to stand by them, they appear very zealous to maintain his Authority, and have drawn up several Articles to be proposed to the King, by which they desire; That the Queen shall declare her self a Roman Catholick before she comes into *Poland*; That no Bishop for the future shall presume to proclaim a King while the Primate is present; That the Primate's Dignity shall be preserved and maintained; That the Kings Election shall be confirmed by the Primate, and the Ceremony thereof performed in the Cathedral Church of this City; That the Revenues of the Crown shall not be alienated; That an Account shall be given of the Money which the King caused to be distributed among the Gentlemen at the time of his Election, and that those who received it shall be obliged to return the same, to be applied to the present Necessities of the Kingdom, and that the King nor his Successors shall demand a Reimbursement of the said Sums; That the King shall banish General *Gulecky* from Court, and deliver up General *Brant* into the Hands of Justice; And that the Bishop of *Cujavia* shall beg the Primate's Pardon. These Articles have not yet been presented to the King, and when they are it's believed He will not think fit to consent to them. In the mean while the Gentlemen of the Rokotz continue their meeting at *Lowitz*, and endeavours are still used to accommodate Matters, which it's hoped will at last have the desired effect, that the King may be at leasure to pursue the Designs he has formed for the next Campagne; He intends so soon as this Assembly is broke up at *Lowitz*, to begin his Journey to the Frontiers, and has given Orders for the Forces to draw together, and that the Magazines be forthwith provided with all Necessaries. We hear the Republick of *Venice* is sending an Ambassador to this Court to Congratulate the King upon his Accession to the Crown.

Vienna, *May* 14. The Prince of *Lorraine*, Bishop of *Olmutz*, received yesterday the Emperor's Investiture as Bishop of *Osnabrug*. The Auxiliary Forces belonging to the Circle of *Bavaria* and the Bishop of *Saltzburg* have lately passed by this place in their way to [illegible] and will shortly be followed by the two Regiments of *Wirtemberg* which arrived here yesterday. Several Barks laden with Provisions and Ammunition are likewise sent down the *Danube* for the Magazines in *Hungary*, that all things may be in a readiness for a speedy opening of the Campagne. The 6 Galleys that are building here to be employed on the *Danube* against the Turks, are all launched, and will forthwith fall down the River to *Peter-Waradin*. Prince *Lewis* of *Baden* is expected in a short time. We have an account from *Croatia*, that the Seraskier of *Bosnia* continues on the Frontier of that Province, but that his Forces are in so small a number, and so strictly observed by the Imperialists that there is no likelihood of their attempting any thing. These Letters add, that a Party of the Forces of *Croatia* had made an Incursion as far as the Castle of *Uranagrate* belonging to the Turks, and had brought off a very considerable Booty, with several Prisoners, and a great number of Cattle. We hear from *Peter-Waradin*, that a Party of Turks from *Belgrade* had advanced into the Neighbourhood of that place, but were soon repulsed; and that another of about 100 Men appearing near *Titul*, were put to flight by a Party of Heydukes who were marching that way; and that two Regiments of Hussars and some German Forces have Orders to post themselves in those parts, to prevent the Enemies Excursions.

Francfort, *May* 22. The Landtgrave of *Hesse-Cassel* has given Orders, that the City of *Rhinfeldt*, with the Town of *St. Goar*, and its other Dependancies, be restored to the Landtgrave of *Rhinfeldt* according to the Treaty of Peace, on the 30th Instant, upon which it is believed the French will likewise evacuate *Philipsbourg*, and the other Places on the *Rhine*. We hear, that the Elector *Palatine*, to encourage the rebuilding of *Heydelberg*, and the resort of Trading People thither, has caused an Edict to be made publick, by which among other Priviledges to such as shall inhabit there, those who come and build Houses are freed from all Taxes and Impositions on their Persons and Estates during 30 years, all Excises on things spent in the City are taken off for the space of 20 years, and all Merchants and Traders are freed from Customs for 11 years.

Paris, *May* 23. On the 21th Instant Monsieur *Tettau*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Landtgrave of *Hesse-Cassell*, had his Audience of Leave of the King at *Versailles*, as also of the Duke and Dutchess of *Burgundy*, and the Dukes of *Anjou* and *Berry*, being introduced in the usual manner by Monsieur *Saint Tot* Introductor of Ambassadors. The same day Prince *Gaston*, Son to the Great Duke of *Tuscany*, who is here *incognito*, by the Name of Marquis of *Siennes*, waited on the King, and was Entertained at Dinner by the Marquis *de Torcy* Secretary of State. Baron *Wieser*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector *Palatine*, has had some Meetings at the Palace Royal with the French